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- ☒ 1 Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.97(b)  
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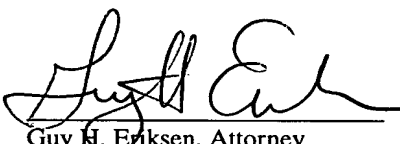
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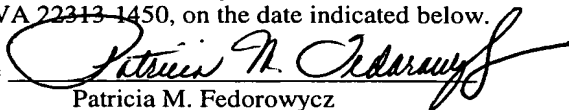
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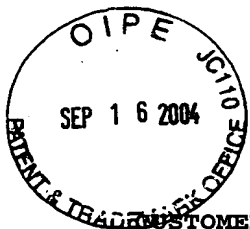
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## FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

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	AM	1142296A	02/05/97 CHINA (corres. US Pat. 5,822,569 attached)	H04L	12/24	X**
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